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SUBJECT: MISSILE TECHNOLOGY CONTROL REGIME (MTCR):
PREPARING FOR RPOC DISCUSSION OF INFORMATION EXCHANGE (IE)
TOPICS (C)

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Classified By: EST COUNSELOR ROBERT W. DRY FOR REASONS 1.5 (B) AND (D)

[1](#)1. (C) On February 24, EST Counselor presented paper contained in reftel regarding proposed agenda topics for the 2005 MTCR Plenary Information Exchange to French MFA MTCR Point-of-Contact David Bertolotti. Bertolotti appreciated the receipt of the document and he will prepare it soonest as a POC document for distribution.

[1](#)2. (C) Bertolotti offered that the French side had not yet completed its preparations for the RPOC but that it hoped to be able to complete a list of its own proposals for the Plenary Information Exchange over the next month. Thinking aloud, Bertolotti suggested several topics for possible inclusion: an update on Iran's ballistic missile programs; an Egypt country profile; and, a technology paper on a subject to be determined. He also thought that it might be useful for the French government to prepare a case study on procurement attempts.
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